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CAKE AND ELLIS ARE NOMINATED

Official Returns, Which Have Not Been Announced, Cannot Change Situation.

BOTH WILL WIN BY OVER 2000 VOTES.

T. T. Geer Is Third in Congressional Race Having Received Less Than Ellis and Shepherd—Cake's Victory in Umatilla One of the Genuine Surprises—Umatilla Considered a Strong Falsen County.

While the complete returns from the primary election of last Friday have not been received as yet, sufficient information is now at hand to warrant the assertion that H. M. Cake is the nominee of the Republicans for United States senator by a majority of from 2000 to 2500 and that Congressman Ellis is also renominated by a plurality ranging above 2000 votes.

The small counties yet to hear from will not change the result in either case and all that remains now is to announce definitely the exact figures when the reports shall have been made.

Shepherd is second and Geer third in the congressional race.

From the returns now in it appears that the next legislature will have a majority of statement No. 1 members. In Multnomah county 14 out of 18 candidates are for Statement No. 1, the victory being greater than its most ardent admirers expected in that county, while throughout the state the statement No. 1 sentiment has carried in a large number of counties. Complete returns are not at hand at this time and the exact results cannot be given.

Perhaps the greatest surprise in the senatorial race was the victory of H. M. Cake in Umatilla county, which had been considered the strongest Fulton county in the state outside of Clatsop, his home county. It is evident that Cake will carry the county by a small margin, although the exact official returns are not yet known.

He also carried Baker county, another county which was considered strong for Fulton owing to his stand for the federal building and federal district headquarters at Baker City. Cake will carry that county by about 250 votes.

Umatilla County Returns.

At the county clerk's office the last of the ballot boxes were received this morning. However, the official count will not commence until this evening, as R. B. Richards, justice at Athena, who is to assist, cannot arrive until 4:30. The count will be made by County Clerk Saling, Justice Joe Parkes, and Justice Richards.

To officially canvass the vote will require about six hours work and the task may be completed tonight unless unforeseen delays occur.

Since Saturday afternoon there has been practically no change with respect to the vote in this county. The later returns were all from small precincts and they did not materially affect the result.

On the legislative ticket a summary of 32 precincts gives Mann 847, Barrett 536 and Steen 704, thereby assuring the nomination of Mann and Barrett, but leaving it uncertain as to whether or not Mann or Barrett will lead the race.

More complete returns also strengthen Ellis' lead over Geer in this county and the final figures will show that he won from the ex-governor in this county by nearly a four to one vote.

In the two Weston precincts it was claimed that Geer would run strong, but in Weston precinct he received but two votes to 17 for Ellis, while in East Weston Ellis won by a vote of 18 to 12. None of the precincts yet heard from show a majority for Geer.

Grangeville, Idaho, is to have a 12 o'clock closing hour for saloons and billiard halls.

PETER FEE DROWNS IN LEWIS RIVER

Peter H. Fee, brother of Judge James A. Fee and who formerly lived in this city, was drowned in the headwaters of Lewis river, Washington, Saturday. While attempting to cross the swift stream on a log he slipped and fell in.

At the time of the accident several men were near by and attacked by Fee's cries for help rushed to the scene. They reached the place just in time to see him disappear under a log jam.

At last reports the body had not been found and owing to the swiftness of the stream and the log jam it is possible that the remains may never be recovered.

Thorburn Ross On Trial.

Salem, April 20.—The trial of Thorburn Ross, president of the defunct Title Guarantee & Trust company of Portland, charged with the misappropriation of state funds held in trust in his institution began with the selecting of the jurors shortly after 1 o'clock today. The state expects the jury to be secured before adjournment. The trial will probably last the balance of the week. The case is being heard here on a change of venue.

FROM SEA TO SEA.

Harriman Realizes Ambition—Has a Line from Savannah to San Francisco.

Chicago, April 20.—The opening of the Birmingham division of the Illinois Central railroad today will realize Harriman's ambition to control a sea to sea system. It will now be possible to take goods off the dock at Savannah, Ga., the eastern terminus of the new division and not leave the Harriman rails until they reach the dock at San Francisco.

The Birmingham division connects with the Georgia Central which completes the final loop of the eastern division.

In obtaining the Georgia central Harriman also obtained a steamship line operating between Savannah and New York.

MODERN TRILBY AND SVENGALI

IDAHO WOMAN UNDER DOMINATION OF CRIMINAL.

Spokane Man Induces Her to Cash Forged Checks—Arrested at Vancouver, She Tells Strange Story to Police—Operated in Spokane, Seattle, Portland and Vancouver—Her Companion Makes His Getaway.

Vancouver, Wash., April 20.—Giving her name as Mrs. A. L. Pugmeyer of Nampa, Idaho, a woman with a little child told a strange story to the police yesterday of being a present day Trilby under the domination of a criminally-minded Svengali who compelled her to cash forged checks.

She is under arrest here charged with passing three in this city. The woman declares she fell under the influence of a man named Madison in Spokane and he unforged to her a plan to make a living in easy fashion. She cashed three forged checks in that city at his command, she declares, three more in Seattle, and a number in Portland before removing to Vancouver, Wash., to continue the work.

After her arrest the woman resisted the efforts of the police to sweat so successfully, that her accomplice had time to escape and has not yet been arrested.

Resume Irrigation Work.

Belle Fourche, S. D., April 20.—Contracts will be let today for 150,000 yards of ditch work on the big Belle Fourche government irrigation project and other contracts will be awarded in a few days. Chief Engineer A. P. Davis of Washington, is outlining the work expected to be accomplished during the present year. Bids this year are much more numerous than before.

Uniting Naturalization Divisions.

Washington, April 20.—The first step toward welding the 10 naturalization divisions to a compact organization was taken today at a conference of the assistant district attorneys of 10 cities, including the Frisco representative with Assistant Attorney General Copley.

Sons of Revolution.

Boston, April 20.—General Nelson A. McClary of Chicago, president general of the National Society, Sons of the American Revolution, is the special guest of honor at the annual meeting of the Massachusetts Society in the Old South Meeting House today.

SENATOR BORAH OF IDAHO PLAYS ORCHARD AND ANARCHISTS.

Washington, April 20.—Borah, of Idaho, in his maiden speech in the senate this afternoon, defended Roosevelt's Brownsville action, holding the rioting negro troops to be a part of the growth of anarchists in the United States. He said in part: "Riot and murder are largely things born of mistakes of government and pride in a country which compromises and sentimentalizes over crime. A cold-blooded, inhuman incarnate devil blows to pieces the ex-governor on the doorsteps of his home, is caught, confesses and before the grave of the man dying a martyr for law and order is green, sentimentalism puts a halo upon the brow of the blackest spirit that ever escaped the crypts of hell."

"In these times when riot is preached as a tenet of party organization, I say to find this spirit of lawlessness, this appetite of crime in the army is startling beyond words to express."

He said certain members of the 25th infantry were guilty of "murder, planned, deliberate and accomplished with deadly precision."

JAP MERCHANTS ARE TOO GREEDY

English Commercial Interests Will Protest to the Home Government.

MIKADO'S MEN STEAL ENGLISH TRADE MARKS

Little Brown Men Monopolize Trade of Manchuria and Korea—British Subjects Promoting Anti-Japanese Boycott in China—Islanders Will Lose \$100,000,000 or Ten Times the Amount of Damages Taken.

Hongkong, China, April 20.—Leaders of the British commercial interests in the Orient are arranging a meeting here soon to protest to the home government against the Japanese monopoly of all business and commercial opportunities in Korea and Manchuria.

The complaint will represent that the mikado is using the Anglo-Japanese treaty to damage English commerce in the far east and that England is suffering greater in proportion to the value of the interests involved than any other power. All, however, declare the leaders who are arranging to draw up the material, are being sacrificed to Japanese greed.

London will be asked to make strong representations to Tokyo regarding the commercial trickery and political deceit of the islanders. It will be conceded that the Japanese press is right when it accuses English interests in China as favoring and promoting the anti-Japanese boycott in China.

The measure is defined as a legislative retaliatory measure against the Japanese who have raided British trade territories and cost the British commercial houses millions of dollars during the last two years.

The stealing of trade marks by the Japanese on old established lines of goods is one of the most serious grievances expressed. The boycott is steadily growing and apparently it is no idle boast that the Japanese commerce in China will suffer a loss of \$300,000,000 or just 10,000 times the amount of the damages taken by Japan in the Tatsu Maru incident, before it is over. This, it is declared, will be a terrible blow to Japanese commerce just at a time when Japan is in travail of severe business depression, and needs every dollar's worth of trade it can possibly secure.

Steel Trust Meeting.

New York, April 20.—Stockholders of the United States Steel Corporation, commonly known as the "steel trust," are holding their annual meeting today. It is stated that all the retiring directors will be re-elected and that the present officers will be chosen for another year. The proxy committee is the same as last year, consisting of J. P. Morgan, H. C. Frick, E. H. Gary, N. B. Ream and N. Thayer.

Stockmen in Session.

Miles City, Mont., April 20.—Hundreds of stockmen are here today for the conventions of the Eastern Montana Wool Growers' association and the Montana Stock Growers' association. The former was opened this morning, while the latter will begin their deliberations tomorrow morning. A cowboy contest, a barbecue and other amusements have been provided for the visitors.

Will Boom Oklahoma.

Shawnee, Ok., April 20.—Plans for booming Oklahoma on an extensive scale will be made during the three-day session here of the secretaries of commercial clubs and the Oklahoma Industrial Development association.

Fleet at Hongkong.

Washington, April 20.—A cable to the navy department today announces the arrival at Hongkong of a division of the Philippine squadron of the Pacific fleet from Manila.

BRYAN FIGHTING IN DESPERATION

Nomination Depends on Control of Illinois State Convention—Result in Doubt.

JOHNSON LEADERS SAY VICTORY WILL BE THEIRS.

Minnesotans Declare the 54 Delegates Will Either Go to Denver Uninstructed or Will Be for the Governor—"Money at Work" Says Bryan—Blight Seems to Have Struck Nebraska's Boom in Eastern and Central States.

Chicago, April 20.—Bryan is fighting a last ditch fight for control of the democratic state convention which meets at Springfield next Thursday. At his shoulder is Roger Sullivan, straining every nerve to hold the delegates in line for the Nebraskan.

But, nevertheless, the Johnson leaders declare that the 54 delegates who will represent the Sucker state at Denver will either go to the "mile high" town uninstructed or under the penance of the Minnesotan.

"Money is at work," was the sinister comment of the democratic chief yesterday in commenting on the sudden turn of affairs in Mounbon politics and the particularly unexpected blight that has struck Bryan's supposed strength in the eastern and northern central states during the last 10 days. Johnson men laugh at this charge. It is a spontaneous outburst of democratic spirit favorable to Johnson, they proclaim. It has always been evident but quiescent because of no candidate to center on, Johnson has filled this void and as a result he is gaining the votes.

Johnson leaders declare they are ready to carry the fight for control of the state directly to Springfield. Every uninstructed delegate is being worked with to persuade him to support the Minnesotan man.

Rogers Sullivan has not been able to check the rampant Johnson talk. Even Bryan men say it is entirely possible that an uninstructed delegation will be sent to Denver.

At the anti-headquarters last night, Johnson men were claiming Pennsylvania and New York. If they can get Illinois they feel that their man is good as nominated.

TURKEY YIELDS TO ITALY.

Italy's Threat of War Brings the Sick Man of Europe to Time.

Rome, April 20.—Turkey has yielded in every instance to the demands of Italy. The "sick man of Europe" trimmed with Humbert until he saw the prowess of Italy's fighting ships pointed toward the porte and then capitulated.

An Italian postoffice system will be opened in Turkey. Italy will be received at the porte with all the privileges that are accorded to every other first-class power. No discrimination will be permitted against any Italian residents of Turkey or in Turkish possessions.

On the strength of Abdul Hamid's unqualified back-down the Italian fleet will not sail for Turkish waters. The orders have been countermanded and the fleet with the destroyers will remain here. The formal order which would have sent 11 battleships and eight destroyers steaming towards the Sultan's dominions was being transcribed for delivery when the sultan's message came announcing the capitulation.

Montana Team Wants Game.

A request for a ball game with Pendleton in July or August has been received here from the M. W. A. team of Butte, Mont. The Montana team is said to be a strong one and they are figuring upon a tour of Idaho, eastern Washington and eastern Oregon.

The boarding house mistress denies that all little roomers gain currency.

Safe Crackers in Land.

Portland, April 20.—Safe crackers made a good night when they broke the strong boxes in the C. company's office and of Aultman and Taylor secured \$1500 worth of gold bullion and ostrich eggs. The men drilled both safes and used no explosive. They are thought to be the same men who robbed the Lundy jewelry shop in San Francisco recently and made away with \$50,000 worth of jewels.

YOUNG THUGS ARRESTED.

One of Worst Gangs of Youthful Criminals Ever Known Is Broken Up.

Pittsburg, April 20.—With the arrest of five young thugs who called themselves the "Gamblers of the West," the police believe they have broken up one of the worst and the biggest organizations of youthful criminals ever known in the east.

The boys had a fine organization and repeatedly defeated the efforts of the police in their capture. They number over 20 in all. Most of these will be arrested within the next 24 hours.

The brains of the gang was Mike Ross, 16 years old. His chief assistant and leader was John Platek, 15 years old. They cracked a number of safes together.

CLEAN CAMPAIGN FOR H. M. CAKE

W. M. CAKE EXPRESSES DELIGHT AT THE RESULT

Campaign for Republican Senatorial Candidate Was Conducted Upon a High Plane—No Mud Slinging Methods Anywhere—Says High Sentiment Will Characterize the Campaign for the General Election.

Perhaps the happiest man in the state of Oregon today is W. M. Cake of Portland, who is in the city on a business trip. Mr. Cake managed the campaign for his brother, H. M. Cake, who has just been selected by the people of Oregon as a candidate for United States senator and while the candidate himself is highly elated over the success of the campaign, it is needless to say that W. M. Cake, who bore the brunt of the details of the campaign is supremely happy.

The campaign of H. M. Cake was conducted upon a high plane and he won the nomination by persistently advocating a measure which is dear to the hearts of the people of Oregon—the popular election of senators and to the hard work and watchful care of W. M. Cake who had charge of the campaign in Portland is due a large part of the victory.

To the East Oregonian Mr. Cake said today that everything possible had been done both by himself and brother to conduct the campaign on principle, leaving mudslinging, factional quarrel and local friction entirely out of the matter.

That they have succeeded admirably in this high object is apparent from the result of the primary election, as the selection of Mr. Cake as the republican nominee for the senate has been accomplished by an earnest and honest appeal to the people on principle and that at no place in the state can it be charged that any questionable method has been employed to secure this result.

Now that H. M. Cake is the republican nominee, having won that distinguished honor at the hands of the republican voters of the state, the campaign for the general election will be conducted upon the same high plane, and there is every reason to believe that he will be elected United States senator by an immense vote on the first day of June.

When a girl goes back on a fellow it is generally because he is misunderstood.

On April 29 the annual local talent entertainment for the benefit of the Commercial association gymnasium will be given at the Oregon theater and it will be a show in keeping with past performances by the same people.

All arrangements for the entertainment have now been made, the theater secured and today definite announcement is made regarding the affair. It was originally intended to give the entertainment in March but unforeseen difficulties made it necessary to postpone the performance.

In the coming entertainment in the first half of the program will consist of a musical extravaganza directed by

ON TRIAL FOR HORSE STEALING

R. W. Deal, Union County Pioneer, is Being Tried Before Umatilla County Jury.

MANY PROMINENT WITNESSES ARE PRESENT

Charged That Deal Stole a Horse from E. L. Halley of Island City—Second Offense for Deal, he Having Served Sentence for the Same Crime Six Years Ago—District Attorney F. S. Ivanhoe Prosecuting and J. D. Slater Defending Mr. Deal.

R. W. Deal, one of the oldest pioneers of Union county and for 40 years a prominent horseman of the inland empire, is on trial in the circuit court in this city today for the theft of a horse, the case having come here on a change of venue from Union county.

About 20 witnesses, many of them among the most prominent pioneers of Grande Ronde valley, are attending the trial and it is of more than usual importance owing to the prominence of the accused. Deal is a white haired man of perhaps 60 years of age is on trial for the second offense in the past few years in Union county.

In this case he is accused of having stolen a horse from E. L. Halley, a young farmer residing near Island City. It is alleged that Deal took the horse from the range near La Grande, shipped it with others to Portland and drove it from there to Salem, where he sold it.

District Attorney F. S. Ivanhoe of the Union-Wallowa county district, is prosecuting the case, while J. D. Slater of La Grande, a brother of Attorney R. J. Slater of this city, is defending Mr. Deal. The case was called by Judge Bean at 9 o'clock this morning and the forenoon was spent in securing a jury.

Among those who are here from Union county as witnesses are the following well known citizens: D. A. and J. W. McAllister, George Childers, Sheriff Frank Childers, D. D. Grandy, Dexter Eaton, Charles Teal, Fred D. Gaskell, E. L. Halley and several others.

This is the second offense of this kind for Mr. Deal in the past few years. In 1902 he was sentenced to the penitentiary from Union county for the theft of a horse, but owing to his advanced age and good behavior while in prison he was pardoned within a few months after going to Salem.

The Jury.

The following is the jury selected for the trial of Deal:

O. F. Bissinger, W. J. Clark, Chas. McAlamy, Jerry Stone, Fred M. Brown, L. F. Anderson, John Geiss, W. J. Stockman, S. R. Coplinger, E. M. Temple, A. Ruppe and Charles McBee.

This forenoon the selection of the jury occupied nearly all the time, but the opening addresses were given before the noon recess. At the opening of court this afternoon, E. L. Halley owner of the horse alleged to have been stolen, was called to the stand as the first witness for the state.

Start Work on Power Plant.

Work will be started this morning by the North Coast Power company on the ground in East Lewiston which has been leased from the city for the site of the temporary power plant the company will install there, says the Lewiston Tribune. The foreman on the work will be Fred Polmantier, who arrived in the city a few days ago. A small crew will be employed in shaping the ground for the installation of the plant, which will cost approximately \$20,000.

Hillsboro had a horse show Saturday that was attended by 4000 people. Governor Chamberlain delivered a 30-minute address on "The Progress of Oregon."

GYMNASIUM ENTERTAINMENT IS NEXT

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Mrs. Anna Selkirk-Norton and in which a bevy of popular Pendleton girls will participate. As indicated by the name the act will be of a musical nature and the fact that Mrs. Norton will sing and have charge is assurance enough that it will be good.

The second part of the program will be made up of specialties by the juvenile gymnasium class, work by Director E. W. Shockey, and other specialties, burlesques upon the first part of the program and other stunts that will be enjoyed.

The entertainment will be given by the old gymnasium committee and will be to raise money with which to aid in paying off the gymnasium indebtedness.